

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of

Applicant : Joseph M. Brand  
Title : ENCAPSULANT LOCK FEATURE  
Docket No. : MIO 0051 V2

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

This preliminary amendment is being filed to add the claims below. Please enter this amendment prior to any Office Actions. Examination and favorable consideration are respectfully requested.

In the Specification

Attached hereto as Appendix A is a marked up reproduction of the changes made to the specification and claims by the current amendments. Additions have been underscored and deletions have been bracketed.

Please replace the title of this invention with the following new title:

--METHOD OF FABRICATING AN ENCAPSULANT LOCK FEATURE IN  
INTEGRATED CIRCUIT PACKAGING--

At page 1 after the Title, please insert the following:

--CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS